IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:) CONFIRMATION NO.: 8742
Osamu TANAKA)
U.S. Serial No.: 10/541,379) Group Art Unit: 2121
Filed: July 6, 2005) Examiner: UNKNOWN

For: PROCESS SYSTEM, PROCESS METHOD AND COMPUTER READABLE STORAGE

MEDIUM AND COMPUTER PROGRAM

SECOND STATUS INQUIRY

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant asks to be informed of the status of the above-referenced patent application.

Applicant previously filed a Status Inquiry on March 4, 2008, but, as of this date, has not received any communication from the U. S. Patent Office.

Applicant is unaware of any action on the merits in this case by the U.S. Patent Office since the filing date of July 6, 2005.

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